

## **LISTING OF THE CLAIMS**

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

1. (currently amended) A high efficiency heat sink comprising:  
at least one U-shaped copper tube with open ends;  
a sealed vacuum vessel, with orifices into the vessel communicating with the open ends  
of the copper tubes;

5        fibers which are strongly absorbent and are impregnated with a ~~refrigerated~~ refrigerant  
liquid are disposed in the vessel.

2. (original) The heat sink of claim 1, wherein the vessel has an upper end region and  
the orifices communicating with the u-shaped copper tube in the upper end region of the vessel.

3. (original) The heat sink of claim 1, further comprising an externally mounted  
cooling fan aimed at the copper tube for blowing over the copper tube.

4. (original) The heat sink of claim 3, further comprising a supporting frame for the  
copper tube and the fan being supported on the frame to one side of the copper tube.

5. (original) The heat sink of claim 1, wherein the vacuum vessel includes an upper  
half casing and a lower half casing which are secured together.

6. (original) The heat sink of claim 5, wherein the lower half casing includes a  
projecting level surface for communicating with an object for heat transfer.

7. (original) The heat sink of claim 6, wherein the upper half casing includes orifices  
for the open ends of the copper tube.

8. (original) The heat sink of claim 5, further comprising a sealing ring for sealing the upper and lower casing halves together.

9. (original) The heat sink of claim 8, wherein the sealing ring is comprised of a silicone gel which seals the vessel when the upper and lower half casing are compressed together.

10. (currently amended) The heat ~~sensor or~~ sink of claim 1, wherein the ~~highly absorbent fiber includes~~ fibers are absorbed with an inhibited glycol as in the ~~refrigerating~~ refrigerant liquid.